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Rotary Speaker

STAFF SGT. SEALY M. STOREY

HEROIC MISSION TO ATTU BRINGS MEDAL

Staff Sgt. Sealy M. Storey, winner of the Air Medal as a turret gunner on a medium bomber in the Alaskan theatre of war, was guest of the Rotary Club at noon Wednesday.

Sgt. Storey talked to the Rotarians about his experiences in the Alaskan battle and answered many questions from members to make of the luncheon hour one of the most interesting in recent months.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Storey, parents of Sgt. Storey; Florence Jane, sister of the hero, and Mrs. Sealy M. Storey, the former Miss Helen Vaughan before their marriage here on May 20, were special guests of the club.

Sgt. Storey, modest, talked about life in the far northwest, how the men live and fight. He refrained from any mention of his own exploits except when questioned. He said the Japs are daring and care little for their lives. The Americans he said, respect nothing about them and those who heard him got the impression it is exactly that way.

J. B. White, editor and publisher of the Herald, introduced Sgt. Storey with the following brief outline of the mission on which the airman won his decoration:

On Thanksgiving Day 1942, an unannounced number of American Air men took off from their combat bases somewhere in the Aleutian Islands off Alaska to bomb Japanese shipping in the Harbor of Holtz Bay off the Island of Attu.

The distance for the flight out and the return is some 1500 miles.

The Island of Attu has come into prominence in recent days because of the attack there of armed forces from the army and the navy. Long before this attack to drive out the Japs these men of the Alaskan air command had been fighting the enemy.

On other fronts such a bombing mission as occured on November 26, 1942, would have been considered more as routine action. In the Alaskan theatre hazards are so great, men who take off brave dangers that bring greater peril than in any other part of the known world. It is a fact that Alaskan weather is the worst anywhere in the world. So, as these men took off, it was a question as it always is a question whether they might return to their base.

Yesterday I talked with Staff Sgt. Sealy M. Storey, our guest today. He is 23 and a veteran of air battles over the bad lands of our North Pacific possessions.

Like all the men who distinguish themselves in battle, he talks very little of his exploits as a turret gunner. So I tell you briefly, in outline, of the mission on which he left his base that day and for the successful conclusion of which he was decorated for heroism and awarded the Air Medal.

Up there they fly the B-26, known to newspaper readers as the Mauradder, world's fastest bomber capable of speed within the 500 mile class. This is the ship Popular Science has just said is the miracle for which the army asked, so radical in design that it was dismissed by the critics as impossible. Nevertheless, Glenn Martin went ahead, and now these ships are in mass production. Four were in the battle at Midway. Two were shot down. Two got through and sank two Japanese aircraft carriers and leveled off just above the waves and ran away from the pursuit craft of the enemy.

This ship is a low altitude bomber, capable of diving and pulling out of difficult meneuvers because of its great speed and build.

As Sgt. Storey's ship came in on the target, which was a very large Japanese cargo vessel in the harbor of Holtz Bay, off the Island of Attu, he was only a few feet above the deck level of the ship. When the bombs or torpedoes are dropped the bomber must be pulled out of its incline to clear the vessel and then pull away fast. Sgt. Storey's ship was the second bomber to attack the vessel. As the plane pulled up from its incline to clear the ship a large Japanese shell hit the belly of his plane and the Sargent told me he looked down to see if his feet and legs were still intact. They were, but much of the ship's fittings and outer hull were blown up around him.

A few moments later they saw they had sunk the vessel and so made for their base.

On this particular mission it was a question of fuel supply and whether they might return alive. That chance they were willing to take, and did take, and were cited for heroism for having done so.

Sgt. Storey received his decoration on March 17, 1943. General Butler from the Alaskan Air Command flew down from Anchorage, Alaska, to the fighter bases to make the awards. Among the men who received decorations was Lt. Colonel John F. Chenault who was on the mission over Holtz Bay that day when Sgt. Storey won his medal. Colonel Chenault is the son of General Chenault, head of the air forces in China and who was with General MacArthur in the early stages of the Phillipine battle.

The service ribbon he wears denotes the following: One year's service prior to Pearl Harbor; The Air Medal; Good conduct; Asiatic and Pacific Theatre; the American Theatre of Action and the small silver star is for actual combat service with the enemy.

Sgt. Storey entered the service one year before the Japs attacked us at Pearl Harbor. He first reported for service at Randolph Field, later going to California and from there to Anchorage, Alaska, where he won his wings, the same you see pinned to his blouse today.

Sgt. Storey has been over the lines in combat some 15 times. This service began shortly after the Japanese attack on Dutch Harbor.

He was transfered out of the Alaskan theatre. He was 23 years old on May 18, and hoped to reach home on his birthday and almost succeeded. He was married on May 20th to Miss Helen Vaughan. Sometime between May 31 and June 1 he is reporting to MacDill Filed, at Tampa, Fla., maybe for more distinguished service in another theatre of war, or for instruction of others.

The plane on which Sgt. Storey performed most of his heroic deeds was named the "Daisy May" from the comic strip Li'l Abner.

PROBATE COURT

May 25, 1943, will of Frank Fulcher deceased, admitted to probate. W. T. Fulcher appointed independent executor wihtout bond. John Franklin, C. E. Prewett and Robert Foster appointed appraisors.

Joe Kovar of Buckholts was a Cameron visitor Thursday.

NEW BUS LINE SEEMS ASSURED FOR CAMERON

line from Cameron to Giddings and the cancellation of a Bowen Lines permit over the same route, brought assurances that the new line may soon be in operation, it was announced here by Emory B. Camp.

The new bus line will be known as the Jackson Bus Line with headquarters in Cameron. Application was filed before the commission Wednesday and it was not contested.

Some years ago the Bowen Lines obtained a permit to operate a bus line over the route but never instituted service. The issue was forced and the Jackson Lines here will begin operation as soon as the permit is officially granted at Austin next Monday.

The tentative schedule is as follows: Bus leaving Giddings at 7:10 will arrive in Cameron at 8:57. The bus leaving Cameron at 1 p. m. will arrive at Giddings at 2:55 p. m. The bus leaving Giddings at 3:15 p. m. will arrive in Cameron at 4:55 a. m. The bus leaving Cameron at 6 p. m. will arrive in Giddings at 7:50 p. m. Four buses daily will operate over the route.

THREE BROTHERS SERVE IN THE ARMED FORCES

Now A Captain

CAPT. V. NELSON

Capt. V. Nelson is now stationed at Camp McCoy, Wis. He is a native son of Milam and was born and reared in the New Salem community near Rockdale where he attended school. He is 36 years of age.

The parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Nelson, live in Cameron, having moved here a number of years ago.

Capt. Nelson volunteered for the heavy artillery as a mechanic and went to Fort Sam Houston and from Fort Sam Houston he went to Camp McCoy, Wisconsin, where in 1937, he enlisted in the army and was made a Captain there.

Capt. Nelson is one of three brothers of the Nelson family in the army. He has advanced rapidly and is discharging important duties at Camp McCoy.

9 Years In Service

SGT. BAKER FLOYD NELSON

Sgt. Baker Floyd Nelson is in his 9th year as a member of the armed forces and serves with the Army Engineers. When last heard from he was in the Canal Zone.

Sgt. Nelson volunteered for the army engineers 9 years ago. He is only 28 years of age despite his long service record. Like most Texans who enter service he went to Fort Sam Houston the headquarters for the Southern Department of the army. Later he served in Virginia, Alabama and Louisiana. He now is somewhere in the Panama Canal Zone.

He graduated from the Davilla High School and was born an reared in Milam county. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Nelson of Cameron and a brother of Capt. V. Nelson and Cpl. James Nelson.

6 Years In Army

CPL. JAMES NELSON,

One of three brothers from the same family in the armed services, Cpl. James Emmett Nelson, volunteered for the Medical Corps, entering the service along with his brother, Sgt. Baker Floyd Nelson.

Cpl. Nelson first reported for duty at Fort Sam Houston and from that point went to duty in West Virginia. From that place he returned to Fort Sam Houston.

His next transfer took him to Albuquerque, New Mexico, and is now at Camp Clovis, New Mexnco. He has been in the service six years, joining up long before the attack on Pearl Harbor.

Cpl. Nelson is a graduate of the Davilla High School and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Nelson of Cameron. He is 32 years of age.

MRS. GEORGE W. ALLEN DIES MONDAY NIGHT

Mrs. George W. Allen, pioneer resident of Milam county, died at the family residence in Cameron Monday night.

Funeral services will be held late Tuesday with interment in the Walkers Creek Cemetery.

Mrs. Allen had been in declining health for some time.

Surviving are her husband, George W. Allen; two sons, Grady Allen and Bill Allen, and one step son, R. M. Kennedy, former Sheriff of Milam county.

AGED MAN BURNED IN FIRE EARLY FRIDAY

John Horak, 80, is in Newton Memorial Hospital, in a critical condition from burns early Friday when his home was almost destroyed by fire.

Mr. Horak sleeps with an oil lamp near his bed. The lamp was believed to have exploded. The aged man was burned badly about the face and body. Firemen reached his home shortly after the alarm came in and Mr. Horak was taken to the hospital by Jim McGoldrick, policeman.

The condition of the aged man was said to be critical and little hopes were held for his recovery. He was in critical health before the fire.

JOHN HORAK DIES HERE FROM INJURY IN FIRE

John Horak, 58, fatally burned when an oil lamp near his bed exploded around 3 a. m. Friday, died at 8:45 p. m. Friday in the Newton Memorial Hospital where he had been taken for treatment after firemen extinguished the fire at his home.

Mr. Horak's condition was too critical to admit of hope for his recovery. Due to advanced age and illness he was unable to stand the shock and injuries resulting from burns about his face and body.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p. m. Monday from the Marek-Burns Funeral Home in Cameron with Rev. Beseda of Caldwell Czech-Moravian church, conducting. Interment will be made in the cemetery at Marak with the Marek-Burns Funeral Home directing.

Surviving are 2 daughters, Mrs. Ed. Schiller of Buckholts and Mrs. John Spurk of Oklahoma City, Okla., and one son, Frank Horak of Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Senkel of Jones Prairie were in Cameron Monday.

Sgt. Sealy Storey And Helen Vaughan Are Married Here

Staff Sgt. Sealy M. Storey, hero of thhe Aleutian air war and decorated by the United States Government for heroism in action against the Japs, and Miss Helen Vaughan, were married in Cameron Friday.

The wedding was a quiet arrangement with only members of the family have knowledge of its occurence.

Sgt. Storey is home on leave. The marriage was the columination of a romance which began before Sgt. Storey volunteered for the army air corps and became a gunner on the famous B-26, world's fastest bomber. During his stay in Alaska plans were made for the wedding to occur when he came home.

Mrs. Storey, the former Miss Helen Vaughan is the daughter of Greer Vaughan, now with the Naval forces in New Caledonia and a sister of Lt. Roy Vaughan, with the ferry and transport command of the United States Army Air Corps.

Sgt. Storey is soon to report for assignment in the air corps, somewhere in the Southeast area. The Story of his exploits, or as much as military secrecy will permit will be published by the Herald soon.

Applications Here For 3rd Ration Book

Applications have arrived at the local postoffice for the 3rd War Ration Book soon to be distributed to the people.

J. R. Hays, Postmaster, said the cards will be distributed beginning Monday. Rural and city carriers will leave an application in each box.

The ration books, formerly obtained at the Local Ration Board office will now be sent by mail. The application cards must be filled out and a 3c stamp used to mail them. They go to Dallas and books will be received by mail from that city.

All who do not receive an application card by mail can obtain one at the local postoffice. Careful attention to filling out these cards is urged for based upon the information given the Ration Book will be issued or denied.

Neal Dodson Promoted To Rank of Sergeant

Camp San Luis Obispo—The Promotion of T/3 Henry Neal Dodson to the rank of Staff Sergent has been announced by his commanding officer 1st Lt. F. M. Sargent.

Sergeant Dodson, who is stationed at Central California, with a special service unit, was inducted into the Army October 26, 1942. His wife is assistant cashier at the Cameron Theatre, where he was a projectionist before his induction.

EDSEL FORD IS DEAD AT AGE OF 49 YEARS

Edsel Ford, President of the Ford Motor Company and son of the famous inventor and founder, Henry Ford, died at his home in Dearbon early today.

Mr. Ford had been ill for days from undulent fever. This fever is severe and no satisfactory treatment has yet been discovered. Its origin was on the isle of Malta and from goat milk. In subsequent years it was discovered to come also from cow milk.

Mr. Ford had assumed large responsibilities in the Ford industry. He was one of the world's leading industrialists. He was 49 years old.

MRS. META STROHMIER FUNERAL SUN. MAY 23

Funeral services for Mrs. Meta Strohmier who died at her home in the Vogelsang community at 8 o'clock Saturday morning, May 22, 1943, will be held at 5 p. m. Sunday, May 23, 1943, at the Vogelsang church with Rev. R. Kalkbrenrer, conducting the services.

Mrs. Strohmier had been ill for several days. News of her death brought shock and sorrow to many friends in the community and in Cameron as well. Names of survivors were not available up to noon Saturday.

Interment will be made in the Volgelsang cemetery near the Vogelsang Lutheran church of which Rev. Kalkbrenner is pastor. The Green Funeral Home in Cameron will direct funeral arrangements.

Love Feast Held In Moscow As Davies Is Toasted By Stalin

A love feast in the Kremlin in Moscow in which Joe Stalin toasted Ambassador Joseph E. Davies, the President and Mr. Churchill, resulted from a swanky banquet staged over a four and half hour course the past week end.

Davies went to Moscow with a personal letter from President Roosevelt to Josef Stalin, Red Dictator. Shortly after his arrival there the Communist Internationale was dissolved. The banquet followed.

Stalin and other Soviet leaders staged the most brilliant banquet seen in Moscow since the days of the Czars. Mr. Davies made a 20 minute speech. He sat at Stalin's right. Prominent in the courtesies of the occasion were toasts to Churchill and to Roosevelt.

J. W. Garner, attorney of Rockdale, was a business visitor here Monday.

SCRAP METAL CAMPAIGN TO YIELD MILLION LBS

The scrap metal campaign under direction of the army will yield a million pounds cr more.

Lieut. Walter Todd from Camp Hood and some 80 enlisted men with 20 trucks have been combing the territory for all manner of iron and steel for the current war needs.

Already 500,000 pounds of metals have been shipped or a total of 10 cars averaging 50,000 pounds to the car. There is on hand at the Southern Pacific frieght yards about 100,000 pounds yet to be shipped. W. B. Fowler, clerk at the S. P. said that total receipts to date are about 600,000 pounds and that indications are that one million pounds will be shipped when the job is complete.

Lieut. Todd is doing a grand job of the Cameron and Milam county assignment. The men in the scrap metal force are quartered at the gymnasium.

ITALIANS FLEE BOOT FOR SAFETY OF ROME

Italians living in the heel of the Italian boot are fleeing their homes and seeking the safety of Rome which they know to be safe from bombings due to politial influences.

Mass exodus of Italians all along the coast of Sardinia is also reported. The Italian cabinet has met in extraordinary session to discuss the situation.

American bombing planes have sunk a half dozen more Italian ships in the harbors along the coast of Italy. The peopie are leaving their homes for the interior.

The war was being waged from the air on all fronts, even in Russia.

News centered chiefy around Washington and speculation. In the nation's capital the shortage of just about every commodity has the commentators working overtime. Babies diapers, gasoline and now men's shorts are disappearing.

Indications at noon were that the War Labor Board may issue a verdict in the soft coal strike situation. It was expected to be an almost complete victory for the miners, as predicted.

Sgt. Pat O'Leary and wife, the former Miss Mary Katherine Lawrence, have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary McLane Lawrence for a few days, and he left Thursday for Camp Davis, N. C., where he is in training. Mrs. O'Leary accompanied him as far as Tyler where she later on will return to complete her studies.

Four Million Tons Scrap Metal From 3 Central Counties

Camp Hood, May 22.—Four million pounds of scrap metals have been collected from Lampasas, Falls and Milam counties since March, in the Army drive now being conducted by a group of officers from Camp Hood.

Not all of Falls county's metal has been collected, Major Ross D. Schleigh, leader of the group, said today. He expectes a total of a million pounds to come from that county alone.

Accompanied by Lt. Richard A. Keenoy, Lt. Walter Todd and Lt. John Telmini, he has been touring Texas counties near Camp Hood, appealing to people in both the urban and rural areas to reply to the Army's call for metal. He is, he declared, gratified with the response.

With him are 86 men and 21 two and a half ton trucks in which the scrap is gathered to be shipped direct to mills.

DIES AT SAN GABRIEL

Funeral strvices for Mrs. J. D. Griffith were held Monday at 3 p. m. at San Gabriel.

Mrs. Griffith died there Sunday. Rev. Crone of Rockdale conducted the services.

Attending the funeral from Cameron were Ves. Young, Will Vaughan, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Alex Bonds, Judge and Mrs. Jeff T. Kemp, Judge and Mrs. Graham Gillis.

Mrs. A. L. Hammonds of Houston, arrived Monday morning for a few days visit with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Wilson.

Walter Senkel was a visitor in Cameron Tuesday morning.

Wallace Law, with the Liquor Control Board in Belton was in Cameron Monday on business.

Old War Heroes Serve Nation in Present Conflict

'Rick,' Donovan and York Take Leading Roles in Second World War.

While new American heroes are in the making in the steaming jungles of the Solomons, in the frozen wastes of the Arctic, on the burning sands of Tunisia and in the air over enslaved Europe, many of the heroes of World War I are busily engaged at the battle centers as well as the home front today.

Although 25 years older, these veterans have once again answered the call of the country, some to don uniforms for active service, others to perform vital wartime civilian tasks.

Hero of one of the most stirring episodes of the present war in the Pacific was Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker who, flying on a secret mission for the army, was lost with his crew, and picked up on a life raft near Samoa after being tossed in the open sea for three weeks. One member of the crew died from the ordeal before the brave crew was rescued.

Rickenbacker commanded the 94th Aerial Pursuit squadron in 1918, and fought his way through 26 air victories to become America's top ace in that war. For his exploits with the first AEF, Rickenbacker was awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor and the Distinguished Service Cross.

Patterson Directs Strategy.

Robert P. Patterson, winner of the DSC for heroism in the last war, today plays a leading role in directing strategy as undersecretary of war.

Another civilian who occupies a key position in this war is William J. Donovan, who directs American psychological warfare throughout the world. As commander of the famous "Fighting 69th" regiment in World War I, Donovan was known as "Wild Bill" for leading his troops into battles and his contempt for danger. Besides winning the Congressional Medal of Honor, Donovan also won the DSC and DSM for his many acts of bravery.

One of the busiest men on the civilian home front today is Harry M. Gambrel, 1942 national winner of the annual $1,000 given by Lewis S. Rosentiel, New York industrialist, as a part of the program of the Americanism Commission of the American Legion. Cited as the Legionnaire who performed the most outstanding community service last year, Gambrel was decorated in the last war with the Croix de Guerre and the Order of the Purple Heart for "devotion to duty and heroic conduct under fire" at Verdun.

York Infantry Consultant.

Best-known Yankee hero of the earlier war is Sergt. Alvin York, who one day led a series of attacks on machine-gun nests, and finally returned to his lines with 132 prisoners. Today York, holder of a string of awards including the coveted Congressional Medal of Honor, is serving the U. S. army as consultant on infantry problems in training ground troops.

Also acting in a similar consulting capacity with the army is Sam Woodfill, whom General Pershing called "America's greatest doughboy." Winner of the highest decorations of six nations, Woodfill's most spectacular act of valor was in single-handedly knocking out a series of German machine-gun nests that were holding up an Allied advance in 1918.

Just like their more famous comrades, millions of other Americans who donned the khaki in World War I are again in the service of the nation—some at the world's battle stations, others at the war council tables, and most of them doing essential civilian tasks on the home front.

More Debt-Free Homes Seen in U. S. After War

PHILADELPHIA.—There will be more debt-free homes in the United States at the end of the war than ever before in the nation's history, in the opinion of Newell J. Nessen, president of the Quaker City Federal Savings and Loan association.

"Individuals today are not reacting in the same manner as they did in the last war," Nessen declared. "In 1917-18 heavy spending was the rule. Luxuries and nonessentials of all descriptions were purchased in large amounts.

"It was not unusual for a man to pay $10 or $15 for a silk shirt, but this time just the reverse is true. Instead of spending, people are saving. They are saving in war bonds, in savings accounts, even hoarding—and they are paying off their mortgages."

Nessen recalled that President Roosevelt urged that, as a curb against inflation, individuals make larger payments on mortgage principal and pay off the mortgage in shorter time.

"It is doubtful whether the President or any home-financing institution anticipated the response which followed," the savings expert continued.

"According to reports from various home financing groups, an unusually large number of mortgages have been paid in full this year. This number has been increasing steadily. In many other cases, substantial reductions have been made in the mortgage principal."

BUSINESS WOMEN HERE NAME NEW OFFICERS

Regular business meeting of the Business & Professional Women's Club was held Tuesday evening at their club rooms with the president, Mrs. L. Van Perkins presiding. The nominating committee for the election of new officers made their report and, the following officers were elected for the coming year:

President, Mrs. Sedalia Payne.

Vice President, Miss Lalla Meyers.

2nd Vice President, Mrs. Eleanor Winfield.

Recording Secretary, Mrs. Katie Robbins.

Corresponding Secretary, Miss Delphya Scott.

Treasurer, Miss Ann Stallworth.

ST. RITA'S CIRCLE

The St. Rita's Circle held its regular meeting Wednesday, May 19, at the attractive home of Mrs. Ralph Michalka with Mrs. Bill Michalka as her hostess.

There was not much new business brought up except that a 42 party is being planned for sometime in June, which will be announced at a later date. This was the last meeting of the season, but will be resumed again in September.

Cookies and punch were served to the 21 members present.

Mrs. Ruth Whittle has returned to her home in Gladewater after visiting her sister, Mrs. Daisy Sprott for several weeks.

H. H. Cast of San Gabriel, was a Cameron visitor Friday.

AN APPEAL FOR AID

I am your appointed chairman for the knitting of garments for the American Red Cross. We are far behind in our program and they write me that the need is very urgent and speed is of the utmost importance.

This is a patriotic job, our fighting men are in every corner of the globe, in the air, on the land, on the sea and under the sea must have our help and have it now. This job must be done and I have been appointed to do it. Americans do not fail.

You who love America, you patriotic women whose sons and loved ones are fighting for victory must rally to help me get the job done, there is no other way and we can not fail them in this time of need.

Some women complain about not having time to knit, what would become of us if our boys said they did not have time to fight?

There is on hand the Wool Yarn to be issued as you call and may I urge you to lend me your aid now?

We must all do our part and do it now.

Mrs. F. C. Fahrendorf,
Knitting Chairman for the American Red Cross of Milam County.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our kind friends and relatives and especially Marek-Burns Funeral Home for their kindness and sympathy at the death of our father and grand father, Matej Provasek and also for the beautiful floral offerings.

Provasek Children.

Mrs. Gypsy Pruett of Davilla was a visitor in Cameron Saturday.

A. C. Odom of Ad Hall was in Cameron Saturday on business.

Marak News

About two hundred people attended the school program at the S. S. Cyril and Methodius School last Sunday night. Father Ben Holeb presented the certificates of promotion into High School to three pupils as well as the awards in good writing. The other awards were given after mass on Monday morning. The children under the guidance of the Sisters had a good program consisting of songs and plays which were enjoyed by all.

The blessing of the Service flag consisting of 47 stars will take place next Sunday morning at the 9 o'clock mass. The parents of the boys from the parish who are in the service, will act as sponsors and a dinner will be given to them by the St. Mary's Society following the church services.

The Marak unit of the C. Y. O. held their monthly meeting last Wednesday with about 60 members present. Alex Janicek was elected reporter for the club and a substantial contribution was voted toward the purchase of the new service flag. The members will receive Holy Communion in a body on the 2nd of June. That evening a picnic will be held following the business meeting. Miss Evelyn Stanislaw is President of the unit, Laddis Slavik is Vice President and Gordan Janicek is Secretary and Treasurer. The social committee is composed of Miss Stazis and Theresa Baros, Eleanor Kostroun, Julius Tepera and Laddis Slavik.

Pvt. Will Tepera and wife are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Louis Tepera.

J. W. Garner, prominent lawyer of Rockdale was in Cameron on business Thursday.

E. G. Kahler of Buckholts was a business visitor at the District Clerks office Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Marek and Olga and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Petruy attended the funeral of L. J. Marek at Ocher Sunday afternoon.

ELLIOTT-TUCKER

Miss Ruth Parsy Elliott became the bride of Pvt. Ray A. Tucker at 4 p. m. Thursday, May 20, at the Methodist Church, with Rev. Bob Pool performing the ceremony.

The bride wore a lovely crepe dress with white accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

Her attendants were Col. Howard Tucker of Salt Lake City, brother of the groom and Miss Gertrude Hertenburger of Ad Hall. Mrs. Tucker is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Elliott of Cameron and Pvt. Tucker is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Tucker of Rockdale.

Pvt. Tucker is stationed at Swannanoo, North Carolina, and will report back for duty June 4th.

J. W. Esquire of Rockdale visited in Cameron Thursday.

Mrs. U. Hill of Caldwell visited in Cameron Wednesday on business.

Hatchery Notice!

Our Hatchery is now open for business. Bring us your custom Hatching eggs and your orders for baby chicks. Will take any amount.

Hornung Bros.
Cameron, Texas

WALLACE
AND
WALLACE
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
Over First National Bank
Cameron. Texas

Summer Drug Needs

Even in war times we are still able to say "We Have It" and we will continue to do our best to accomodate you.

Summer brings a multitude of demands for preparations and drugs. While vacation time will mean little this year there is always need for summer preparations and we want your business.

DUSEK PHARMACY
PHONE NO. 2. "WE HAVE IT!"

FARM IMPLEMENTS FOR SALE

NEW IMPLEMENTS

Pickup Hay Baler with motor
One horse drawn mowing machine
One steel wheel wagon
Two horse drawn disc harrows

GOOD USED IMPLEMENTS

2 one horse hay presses, double stroke
2 hay rakes
2 horse drawn mowing machines
Several Cultivators.

ELLISON BROS.
OLIVER FARM IMPLEMENT DEALERS
Baileyville, Texas

A Modern Bank

No bank can well deserve your patronage unless it keeps abreast of times and provides you with the best in banking facilities.

Conditions are constantly changing and new methods are necessary. This bank takes pride in the extent and adaquacy of its service.

There is one phase of our service that never changes. It's the friendly atmosphere and honest desire to serve you.

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK

FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION
$5,000 MAXIMUM INSURANCE FOR EACH DEPOSITOR
MEMBER

PROVE YOUR PATRIOTISM!

EMORY B. CAMP G. S. BASKIN

CAMP - BASKIN
Insurance
'For your every need'
CAMERON, TEXAS

DAY BY DAY

Things We Want To Say

J. B. White, Editor
Cameron Herald and Midget Daily:

"Perhaps you remember me, but it is probable that you don't, for it has been many months since I was in Cameron last. I was a newsboy for many years with headquarters on the corner of the Blue Bonnet Cafe during the time that Fred Jackson was proprietor. Tom was one of my best friends while in school, and I still consider his one of them, even though he holds the rank of Captain and I only the rank of Corporal. Tom is stationed near her, but I have not had the opportunity to try to get down to Lake Charles to see him.

"Quite a lot of water has run under the bridge since the fatal day that I was inducted into the Army of the United States. There is no better organization in the world that hte U. S. Army, and I have enjoyed every bit of the time that I have been a member of it.

"I have seen quite a lot of the U. S. A. since my induction on October 9, 1942. My first station was Fort Sam Houston. After a waiting period of four days, I and a number of other men were sent to the Infantry Replacement Center at Camp Roberts, Calif. Captain William Gillis is a member of the staff of Officers at Camp Roberts, but I wasn't fortunate enougnt to run across him out there.

"After a basic training period of six weeks, I was sent back from California, to Camp Gruber, Okla. I crossed the States of Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and California twice, and the State of Arkansas once.

After a period of one and half months at Camp Gruber, I was allowed at three day pass, which I spent at my home in Cameron. We had begun preparation for Maneuvers in Louisiana, so I had to return to Camp in a hurry to get there on time.

"We left Camp Gruber on January 26, 1943, for Maneuvers in Louisiana. The day before we took our departure, there was a change for the worst in the weather conditions. Everything was covered with ice and snow when we climbed aboard a train at Braggs, Oklahoma, for the trip to Louisiana.

"After an uncomfortable day and night, we arrived at Sherevport, La., where we spent four hours waiting for a train to tow us into Leesville, La., which, incidentally, was our starting point for the Maneuver Area. We spent a very uncomfortable night in a club room in Leesville where we slept in what clothes we could struggle into to keep from freezing.

"Uncle Sam builds pretty rugged men, so there were few colds in the 180 men. I was one of the more fortunate ones who missed a case of sniffles.

"We were called before dawn to prepare for a ride by Motor Convoy to the Maneuver area. The weather was near zero, and everything was slippery with ice. You may recall that the alligators in the Zoo at New Orleans, La., froze to death during that period of extremely cold weather.

"The Maneuver Area was located in a logged over section of Pine Forest. Most of this section had been burned over, so there was very little under-brush left.

"I had always heard that Army maneuvers were awfully rough, but, from my experience, it was carried on in a very business-like and uniform way.

"Shortly after maneuvers began, several men were picked from the Company, and we went to the Arlington Downs Motor Pool at Arlington Texas for a Convoy of 35 trucks, ambulances, and weapons carriers, for supplying other companies within the Maneuver Area.

"Our maneuvers extended to a small town in "Deep East Texas" by the name of Jasper. Only a real Texan can appreciate being on Texas soil again. By just crossing the Sabine River from Louisiana into Texas, you can notice the change in the atmosphere from that of hostility to one of friendliness and hospitality.

"The men from the North Eastern States could hardly believe their eyes when they found so much friendliness in Texas. They were all ovecome with the hospitality in the town of Lufkin.

"I and fifteen other Non-Commissioned Officers were taken from the 346th. Ordnance Motor Transport Company to organize the 173rd. Ordnance Depot Company at Camp Polk, La.

"Our company is now well organized and waiting for its chance to help in defeating the Axis Combine.

"So ends the story of my Army experiences up to the present moment, but it shall go on and on until we can again lay down our arms and grasp the plow-shares and start the wheels of progress to travelling ever onward into the setting sun, and Peace and Prosperity will once more reign Supreme throughout the Universe.

With the hope that this narrative will find its way into your paper, I return to my Military Duties.

Your friend,
Cpl. James M. Edmonds,
173rd. Ordnance Depot Co.
Camp Polk, La.

It's the same any way you call, 282

TERRIFIC PACE SET BY U S FIGHTERS

American and British airmen are setting a terrific pace in the battle of the Mediterranean.

Within the past 24 hours 125 Axis planes have been shot down or destroyed on the ground. On the face of things it appeared that the Axis may have lost heart to resist or cannot find the men and fuel to get their planes off the ground.

Combat over the Mediterranean was said to be rising in tempo and most of the planes lost were shot out of the air by Americans and British.

The entire Mediterranean coast of Italy and particularly the islands of Sardinia and Sicily, have been pounded with increasing fury by the Americans.

The complete rout of the Japanese on Attu was officially made known this morning. The war and navy departments in Washington expressed belief that the fighting there would end in a few hours. The Japs have lost Attu, a fact reported by The Herald Thursday.

The Japanese radio announced that Admiral Yammamoto had been killed while on a plane flight over the South Pacific battle area in April. Yammamota, at the beginning of the war said he would dictate peace terms from the white house. A well placed bullet by an unknown American gunner from the air far out over the Pacific battle area, put an end the yellow criminal who engineered the attack on Pearl Harbor.

The Japs appeared overcome by the loss. The re-action in America seems summed by a comment made by President Roosevelt at his press conference late Wednesday when he said "Gawsh," and might have added "now, ain't that just too bad."

Yammomoto is the hightest naval officer to be killed in the war thus far.

A second front in Europe might help right now.

4000 CHRYSLER WORKERS STRIKE

Strikes were spreading to other industries today as 4000 workers walked out of the Chrysler plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Polansky and son, Lee, and daughter, Loretta, and Miss Hazel Richards spent Wendesday night in Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Polansky and family spent Sunday in Lyons visiting with delatives.

Karl Hachtel, with the Texas Highway Department in Temple, was in Cameron Tuesday.

Cleve McCall of near Yarrellton, is a patient in the Cameron hospital for treatment for a break he suffered last week.

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Atkinson Family Reunion Brings Capt. Atkinson Here

A delightful occasion was the reunion of the Atkinson family Saturday evening at the home of Miss Lilian Atkinson on North Central Avenue for a six o'clock dinner.

There were present: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Atkinson, Elwood Atkinson, Mrs. Florene Tidwell and daughter Jo, Mrs. Katherine Pirie of Austin, Col. Meiborne J. McCombs of Dayton, Ohio, Capt. J. M. Atkinson, recently returned from the South Pacific, B. P. Atkinson, Jr., training for Ferry Command at Love Field, Dallas, and H. L. Atkinson of Maysfield, who was host to the group at his home at Maysfield, for the week end after the dinner at the home of Miss Atkinson.

Capt. Atkinson has been assigned to Salt Lake City for several months, and hopes to be stationed in the United States. Capt. Atkinson has earned the distinguished Flying Cross, three silver and three Oak leaf clusters stars, while in service.

Thos. Yager, another Milam County boy is stationed in same aera, and is over seas in the air corps.

Mrs. Joe Kaska of Buckholts is doing nicely after an operation in the Newton Memorial Hospital.

Henry Lippman of the Lippman Dry Goods Company, has returned after a few days with his mother in San Antonio.

WANT-ADS

FOR SALE—200 pullets 10 to 12 weeks old. F. W. Vogelsang, box 410, Cameron. 7-2t

FOR SALE—My store in Minerva doing good business. Reason for selling, bad health. Will sell goods and rent store and fixtures, or will sell building and all stocks. Cash, no credit. W. H. Fletcher, Minerva, Texas.

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CARD OF THANKS

We have occasion to express our complete gratitude for the kindness of our neighbors and friends who came to us in the hour of our bereavement over the loss of our dear wife and daughter, Mrs. Glenn Dowdle. In such an hour the presence of so many who came to assist us, helped us bear our burden. We will ever be grateful and will hold in memory each one. We thank those who gave flowers to express their sympathy and for all things done for us.

Glenn Dowdle and Children.
Mr and Mrs. Jos. Slavik, Sr. and Family.

CARD OF THANKS

While our sorrow will cast a long shadow in our lives we are consoled in the thought of your kindness to us during the recent illness and at the death of our dear mother, Mrs. Josephine Vybrial. For the flowers to express sympathy and for each act of kindness and word of sympathy, we will always be grateful.

Anton Vybiral.
Frank Vybiral.
Ben Vybiral.
Frances Gelner.
Josie Reynolds.
Mary Krause.
Albina Machleik.

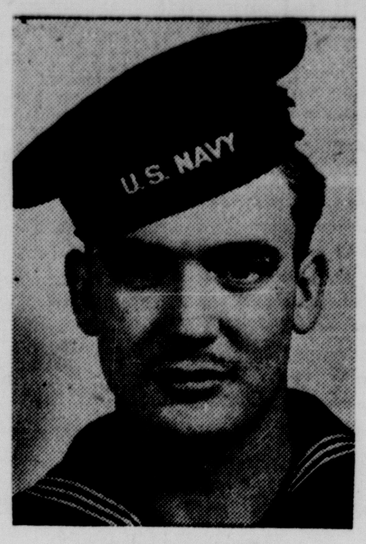
CARD OF THANKS

We are grateful for the acts of kindness and the expressions of sympathy from our friends and neighbors during the illness and at the death of our beloved wife and sister, Mrs. Meta Strohmier. We will always be grateful and hold in remembrance each one who came. We thank those who gave flowers and all who in any way assisted us.

F. W. Strohmier
and the Roesler Family.

Mrs. E. R. Westbrook of Waco has returned to her home after treatment in Newton Memorial Hospital. She is greatly improved and her many friends will be glad to know of her recovery.

Look Out Hirohito



OWEN STIDHAM

Owen Stidham has gone to sea on a submarine of the fleet.

He completed an intensive course of training at an Atlantic coast base some weeks ago.

Owen left Cameron in the spring of 1942, as a volunteer and went to the naval training station at Great Lakes, Ill. After completing his training he went to sea on a destroyer and got his first battle experience in the Alaskan theatre. He came home once during his first year of service.

His transfer to the submarine service was a voluntary choice for a dangerous but important sea duty. No word has come from him in recent weeks. The above photo was sent direct to the Herald by the public relations department of the Atlantic base where he trained.

Owen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Stidham of Cameron, was born and reared here and played football

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Ray A. Tucker and Ruth P. Elliott.

Sealey M. Storey and Helen Vance Vaughan.

Louis Canza and Delia Sustek.

Albert Joseph Guthrie and Mrs. Katie Lawhorn.

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DEEDS

E. A. Camp to Lucio Cazarez, lot 40x80 ards in the D. A. Thompson survey, $50.

Citizens National Bank, Cameron, to Charlie Turner et ux, 1 acre, part of the Burns addition to Cameron $180.

Kansas City Life Ins. Co., to A. E. Baggett et al, 152 acres of the J. J. Acosta eight league grant, $5,353.60.

Edward L. Scheufler et al to Kansas City Life Ins. Co., 292 acres of land, $1 and other valuable considerations.

George McCoy et ux to Lois Hill, undivided right of block 1 of the Peoples addition to City of Cameron $10 and other valuable considerations.

W. H. Lucas et ux to W. W. Markham, lot 2 in block 3 of Terral Heights second addition to City of Cameron, also lot 3 in block 3 of same addition, $1,800.

Louis Skala et ux to Frank Skala, undivided interest in 107 acres of the J. J. Whitesides survey, $2,889.

Daisy L. Tyson to Denton T. House et ux, land in the D. Monroe grant in Milam county, $1,400.

Lessie Boyd et vir to Mary Bandy, lot 4 in block 1 of subdivision C Henderson-Arnold addition to Cameron, $1 and other valuable considerations.

H. T. Coulter to Maudie Howard, lot 13 in block 1 in Washington Heights addition to City of Rockdale, $50.

B. J. Motley et al to Minnie B. Henderson, land in Cameron in the W. W. Lewis league, $1 and other considerations.

Ben Vibyrial et al to Mrs. Frances Babovec, lot 2 of block 49 in the town of Buckholts, $800.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 3RD—Whitlow Hotel, Bartlett, Tex.
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Special Sale of Mattresses

During this Sale we will sell one Heavy Platform Bed Spring with each Mattress if desired.

50 pound All White Staple Cotton, nothing like it on the American Market. Extra Heavy Cover. Pay 20 per cent down, $1.25 weekly—

$39.50

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9x12 size Warm Wool Rugs .....

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80-oz. Lipped Pitcher, each 25c
Canister Sets, 4 pieces 99c
2 Burner Oil Stove, only two to sell $8.95
Food Choppers, each $1.75
Rugs, Congoleum 9x12 regular $8.75 for ..... $7.25 Cash
Cotton Hoe Handles, good quality 25c
Cotton Hoe, steel, full polish, each $1.25
Wallrite Paper, 500 sq. ft. roll all colors $1.85
Kem Tone Paint, gallon. The washable wallpaint $2.98
Quart Fruit Jars, dozen 69c
Pint Fruit Jars, dozen 59c
Heavy Maple Kraut Kutter $3.50

Few new suit cases, ironing boards, water coolers, water bags, railroad water kegs, night latches, seins, minnow buckets, fish hooks, stock spray, cotton poison, iron cords, clothes baskets, dripolators, water glasses 5c each, dust mop 40c, Toilet Trainers $2.25, pie plates, pot lids, stone jars, rope, razor blades, hay wire, hog wire, barb wire.

GREEN & BOEDEKER

Phones 93 and 94 Cameron, Texas

From where I sit . . .

by Joe Marsh

Bill Burry was reflecting back on the last war and what the boys used to do when they got a furlough.

"We weren't a hard-drinking bunch particularly, but that was in Prohibition," said Bill, "and forbidden fruit always seems worth goin' after. We'd hunt up a bootlegger, which was easy, and buy a bottle.

"So, instead of a beer or two, well—I guess we generally drank too much! . . . wonder what the boys are doing this time?"

I got out the official report the Office of War Information made and read him this: **"The fact that there is vastly less drinking among soldiers in this war may stem in part from the sale of beer in camps."**

From where I sit, it certainly doesn't look as if we had to worry about our boys. We learned our lesson in the last war, and I'm glad to see we're on the right track now.

Joe Marsh

Lum and Abner at Cameron Theatre Saturday May 29

Hollywood's classic lesson in acting informality is being supplied by a pair of comparative newcomers, radio actors Chester Lauck and Norris Goff, the Lum and Abner comedy team. Until 18 months ago they had never set foot on a motion picture sound stage. "Two Weeks to Live" is the third comedy starring the boys from the Ozarks at Cameron Saturday, May 29.

Both Lauck and Goff were successful small town business men before turning their hobby of acting into a remunerative profession. Friends since childhood they had evolved several blackface comedy routine which they performed at community functions.

Once they were called upon to broadcast on a flood relief radio program. They rehearsed their usual act. At the station they discovered that there were no less than seven teams preceding them all doing blackface comedy.

Only twenty-five minutes lates the team of Lum and Abner was born. A script was improvised from their own ad lib remarks in the peculiar, homey accent of the Ozarks. It went over big—so big in fact that the radio station was compelled to spot them regularly on its programs.

That was eleven years ago. Today Lum and Abner boast an audience of millions who hear their broadcasts five times weekly over 172 stations.

But it hasn't gone to their heads. They still talk in the simple terms that everyone and his neighbor can understand. They haven't forgotten the humble philosophy of their friends and neighbors back home. What's more, the same burning enthusiasm for their work that drove them to the pinnacle of success, today helps them to sustain it.

They never permit themselves to grow stale or dry. Their daily radio program is prepared only a few hours in advance of actual broadcasting time. They just talk it over and a stenographer jots down their remarks. About the only changes necessary are cuts for timing.

METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

Cameron Methodist Parish announcements for Sunday, May 30, 1943: The Reverends Bob L. Pool and S. Burt Smith, Ministers.

Ben Arnold—Sunday School at 10 a. m.

Liberty—Sunday School at 10 a. m.

Maysfield—Sunday School at 10 a. m.; morning worship at 11 a. m.; Young People's League at 7:45 p. m. Evening Worship at 8:15 p. m.

Minerva—Sunday School at 10 a. m.

Cameron—Sunday the pastor, Rev. Bob L. Pool will preach at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; the choir under the direction of Mrs. Winnie Wittliff will render special music at the morning hour and the young people under the leadership of Mr. Nobles will have charge of the music at night. Sunday School, Roy Baskin, superintendent, will meet at 9:45 a. m. The Junior, Intermediate and Senior Leagues will meet at 7:15 p. m. Monday the four circles of the Women's Society of Christian Service will visit the shut-ins. The finance committee will meet at 8 p. m. Monday. Wednesday the regular monthly church night and family night will be observed at 8 p. m. Thursday senior choir practice at 8 p. m.

Champ Fisher from Sandy Creek was in Cameron Monday.

Fred Stoebner of Burlington was in Cameron Tuesday.

CAMERON THEATRE
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2

Johnny Mack Brown Leads Cast in Big Musical at Milam

Depicting the dramatic struggles coincident to the building of stagecoach roads through the frontier West, Universal's "Tenting Tonight On the Old Camp Ground" comes to the Milam Theatre Thursday and Friday.

Johnny Mack Brown and Tex Ritter, two of Hollywood's foremost outdoor adventure favorites, are co-starred in the action-filled film which has Fuzzy Knight in a leading character role.

Makes Vocal Debut

The picture also features the interesting vocal debut of Jnenifer Holt, popular young movie starlet. In the role of an entertainer, Miss Holt sings "Cielito Lindo" accompanied by the famous Jimmy Wakely Trio which appears in many coloful sequences of the film.

Others in the large cast include John Elliott, Earl Hodgins, Rex Lease, Lane Chandler, Alan Bridge and Dennis Moore.

Tuneful musical interludes in which Ritter, Miss Holt and the Wakely Trio sing appropriate numbers, include the presentation of "Ridin' Home," "The Drinks Are On the House" and that memorable old selection, "Tenting Tonight On the Old Camp Ground."

The original story on which the picture is based was written by Harry Fraser and the screen play was authored by Elizabeth Beecher. Photography was handled by William Sickner. Lewis D. Collins directed and the film was made under the supervision of Associate Producer Oliver Drake.

"Orchestra Wives" Is Top Feature Sunday At the Milam

It would seem, off hand, that you don't have to be a Lindy hopper to get all hopped up about "Orchestra Wives," the hilarious 20th Century-Fox musical, that comes to the Milam Theatre Sunday, May 30.

First of all, the picture stars the band that for three successive years has been voted America's most popular band in a poll conducted by authoritative "Billboard" magazine. That's Glenn Miller, of course, and his talented crew of instrumentalists and vocalists.

Then there is George Montgomery, lately one of the "Ten Gentlemen from West Point." He's a handsome lad, a trumpet player, with one foot in the groove and the other in matrimony. And co-starred with Miller and Montgomery is darling Ann Rutherford, an orchestra wife who—alas!—almost becomes a brass widow.

They say the story is as tempting as its tunes—and that's saying something; for the same bright lads who wrote "Chattanooga Choo Choo" for Glenn Miller's picture debut in "Sun Valley Serenade," have come through for Glenn again. They are Mack Gordon and Harry Warren and this time they have some real hum-dingers that already have made their way to the head of the hit parade—songs like "I Got a Gal in Kalamazoo," for instance, and "People Like You and Me," "At Last" and "Serenade in Blue." There it is! Glenn Miller and a batch of brand new tunes.

But that's only skimming the surface. There's sultry Lynn Bari who sings with the band but, they say, she croons the other girls' love songs. On hand, too, is Cesar Romero, who likes the little women, while they, in turn, worship the ground he crawled out of. And there's curvaceous Carole Landis who has more sugar-daddies than she can shake a hip at. Also featured are comely Virginia Gilmore and vivacious Mary Beth Hughes. A highlight of the film is a dance specialty by the Nicholas Brothers.

WAR'S LARGEST ATTACK BY AIR HITS GERMANY

The war's largest air attack and the most extensive in the history of air warfare hit Germany Sunday.

More than a thousand RAF bombers with escort planes roared over Dortmound and dropped more bombs than was showered upon Cologne.

The British, usually conservative in their statements, said the attack produced good results. Large German industries are centered at Dortmound. The RAF lost 38 bombers in the attack.

More Axis planes were shot down in the continuing war in the Mediterranean. Japanese bombers were met over the Aleutians.

Action has also flared up on the Russian front.

There was no report on the fighting on the island of Attu but things there were regarded as more serious than early reports indicated. The mopping up stage is progressing, however.

The second front was still unrealized.

Miss Susie Butts of Maysfield, was a guest of relatives for the week end.

THIS is their funniest!
SAMUEL GOLDWYN
Laughingly presents
BOB HOPE & DOROTHY LAMOUR
YOU'LL SEE MORE OF DOTTIE IN THE PICTURE!
THEY GOT ME COVERED
Directed by DAVID BUTLER
Screen Play by Harry Kurnitz
Released through RKO Radio Pictures Inc.
THIS THEATRE SELLS WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

CAMERON THEATRE
SUNDAY AND MONDAY
MAY 30 AND 31

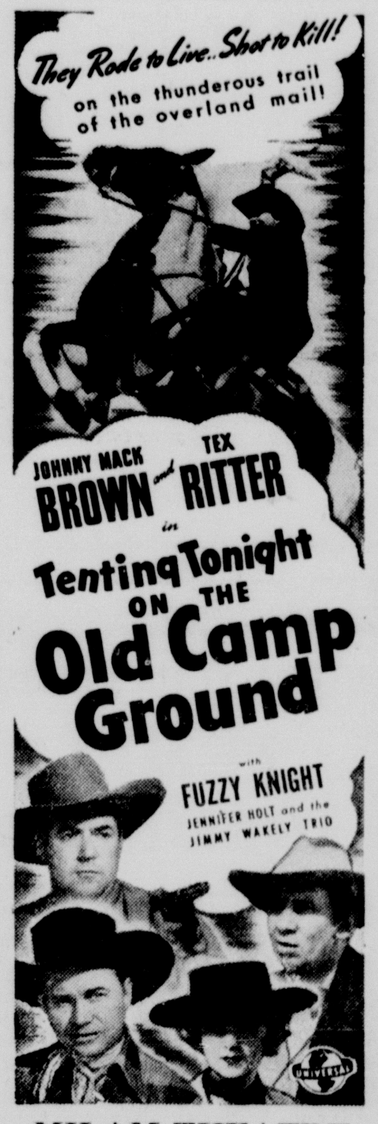
"White Cargo" is Stark Drama of Africa Rubber Wilds

Steaming Africa rubber plantations, primitive souls amid a torrid wilderness, form the background for stark drama, and present Hedy Lamarr as the sultry Tondelayo, in the famous play, "White Cargo," the screen version of which opens at Cameron Theatre Thursday and Friday May 27 and 28.

Miss Lamarr, in a surong for the first time, is a vivid, alluring tropical heroine, exerting a sinister spell over Rchard Carlson, playing a young plantation overseer. Walter Pidgeon is teamed with Miss Lamarr, playing the hard-bitten, sullen and determined chief overseer, Witzel. The story deals with his opposition to young Carlson's romance with the native charmer, the boy's deterioration under the endless heat and primitive conditions of the jungle, and the vivid climax in which his fiery sweetheart attempts to poison him.

Miss Lamarr, as the dar-skinned heroine, is a creature of almost sinister allure, and Pidgeon plays the two-fisted trail-blazer of the jungles with dramatic forcefulness. Frank Morgan plays the bibulous but kindly camp doctor and Henry O'Neill a clergyman working as missionary in the rubber jungles. Reginald Owen has a comedy role as the captain of a river seamer and Bramwell Fletcher plays an overseer who has been beaten down by the jungles and is forced to return to civilization.

Richard Thorpe directed the picture with deft skill. There are gorgeous scennic effects, contrasted with the drabness of the huts in which the scearchers for rubber live in the wilderness.


They Rode to Live.. Shot to Kill!
on the thunderous trail of the overland mail!
JOHNNY MACK BROWN and TEX RITTER
in
Tenting Tonight ON THE Old Camp Ground
with
FUZZY KNIGHT
JENNIFER HOLT and the JIMMY WAKELY TRIO

MILAM THEATRE
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
MAY 28 AND 29

CAMERON THEATRE
THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, MAY 27 AND 28

Streamlined LAUGHS
for their 30,000,000 radio fans and millions more new film friends!
LUM and ABNER in
2 WEEKS TO LIVE
—and NO TIME TO LOSE!
A JACK WILLIAM VOTION Production
Produced by BEN HERSH. Directed by MALCOLM ST. CLAIR. Original Screen Play by Michael L. Simmons and Roswell Rogers
THIS THEATRE SELLS WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

CAMERON THEATRE
SATURDAY, MAY 29

THE CAMERON THEATRE
SUNDAY AND MONDAY, MAY 30 AND 31

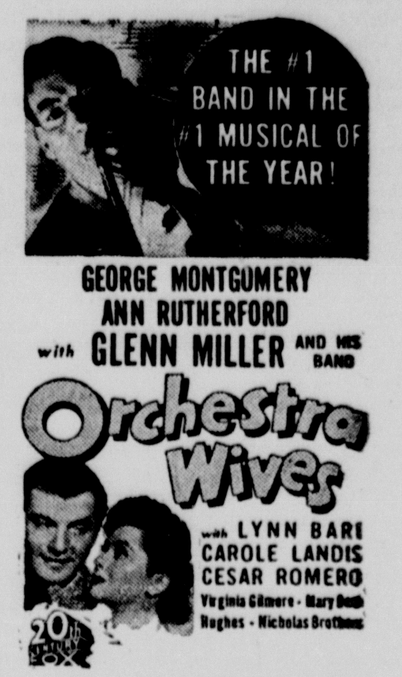
Capt. Richard Hefley and wife were in Cameron Tuesday and visited with relatives and friends. He is stationed at Tallahasse, Fla., and is a member of a ground crew for bombadier work. Mrs. Hefley is with him, and is employed there.

Mrs. L. W. Raley of Briary was a visitor in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. Edwin Bigbee and Mrs. Mary Lock, of Palestine, spent Monday here with Mrs. Lottie Bigbee.

Adolf Stoebner of Travis was in Cameron Wednesday.

CAMERON THEATRE
TUESDAY, JUNE 1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Saturday, May 29
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"THEY GOT ME COVERED"
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Tuesday, June 1
"TENNESSEE JOHNSON"
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Wednesday, June 2
"YOUNG AND WILLING"
William Holden and Susan Hayworth

Thursday and Friday, June 3 and 4
"TARZAN TRIUMPHS"
Johnny Weismuller and Frances Gifford

Milam Theatre

Friday and Saturday, May 28 and 29
"TENTING TONIGHT ON OLD CAMP GROUND"
John Mack Brown

Sunday, May 30
"ORCHESTRA WIVES"
George Montgomery and Ann Rutherford

Maltese Thankful As Bombing Stops

Not a Building Escaped in Worst of Air Raids.

VALETTA, MALTA. — Gallant Malta, scene of the world's most concentrated bombing, is beginning to smile again.

Peering from glassless windows, the thin, gaunt faces of residents who have gone through hell now beam with smiles of thanksgiving.

Aside from the vicious air raids—more than 1,000 of them—these dark skinned, unflinching islanders have had perhaps the worst food problem in the world. Rich and poor alike have fared the same. Malta's great herds of sheep and goats have been decimated by Axis bombers and strafers.

Within this city, behind pock-marked and bomb-scarred battlements and behind the 200-foot cliffs that line the grand harbor, the capital is a pile of ruins.

People live in any portion of a building that is left standing.

No building on the island has been spared either a direct hit or a near miss which causes damage. Thus it seemed strange to hear swing music coming from what appeared to be a pile of rubble and the wrecked limestone blocks of which all Maltese buildings are made. A tea dance was in progress.

The Maltese girls and others of Greek, English and Italian origin were dancing mainly with servicemen. The girls were comparatively well dressed and had a fine appearance despite the lack of stockings and cosmetics, which are virtually unobtainable. These dances are comparatively recent innovations and now even early evening affairs are held despite the awesome blackout. There is nothing to eat or drink, however, unless brought by the guests.

Life in England: Coal For Autos, 1 Egg a Month

LONDON.—Life in England as reflected in a single day's headlines:

New egg ration to be one shell egg per person per month . . . Cheese ration reduced . . . Candy ration remains same . . . Few stirrup pumps will be available . . . Razor blade shortage expected to be relieved soon . . . Algerian briar may ease scarcity of pipes . . .

Available radio tubes won't fit many sets . . . Coroner criticizes brakeless government - sponsored "utility" perambulators in baby's death . . . Landlords fined for trying illegally to raise rents . . .

Filling stations to sell coal for 10,000 commercial vehicles to be converted to coal gas . . . Government warns leaded auto gasoline no good for cigarette lighters . . .

Many girls dodging military service by falsifying marital status . . . Seventeen and one-half-year-old men register for military service today . . . Women's land army needs more recruits . . .

Turn in your hoard of old letters, calling cards for cartridge cases. . . . Waste paper needed for army medicine wrappings . . . Labor organizations contribute $12,000 to fund for Russia . . .

Bus passengers in southern coast town narrowly escape strafing by raiding Fock-Wulf 190 . . .

U. S. Army Lists Hurdles For AEF Marriages

LONDON. — United States army headquarters outlined regulations for American soldiers wanting to marry while on duty in England.

Soldiers first must obtain permission from their superiors. They must file an application two months before the wedding date.

Married soldiers will not be allowed special privileges or living arrangements different from those provided single men.

Finds $525 War Bonds As Father Locates Gems

BUFFALO, N. Y.—It was a case of "like father, like son" when Kenneth N. Kellner, 10, found a purse containing $525 in war bonds and immediately turned it over to the police.

About three years ago his father, Edward J. Kellner, discovered $1,500 worth of jewels in a salesman's valise lying in the street and took the valuables to the police before their loss had been reported.

Out of Caves Into Air Is Going to Extremes

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.—Aviation Cadet Raymond W. Kuhne, 26, Owensville, Mo., believes his career has been "going to extremes." Before entering the pre-flight school at the San Antonio aviation cadet center to become a combat aircrew pilot, Cadet Kuhne traveled more than 800 miles underground. He was a cave explorer.

Little 'Submarine' Is Pride of Hospital

LAS VEGAS, NEV.—There is only one "real" war baby as far as doctors here are concerned.

Affectionately known as little "submarine," "world," and "invasion," the seven-pound baby was the first born at the new basic magnesium war plant hospital.

The baby's name? — William Thomas War.

60 PER CENT JAP FORCES ARE KILLED

The Japanese radio today broadcast a concession that the island of Attu in the Aleutians has been taken by the American forces and that 60 per cent of the Jap garrison there have been killed.

In the beginning of the fight for Attu the Japs pictured the Americans as having failed and at the same time prepared their people for bad news. The truth now is known. The Americans have killed 60 per cent of the entire Jap force on Attu and have the remaining 40 per cent cornered and facing destruction. There should be no prisoners.

President Roosevelt in Washington has called a Pacific War Council and has asked Winston Churchill, the British Prime Minister to attend.

The calling of this conference was taken to indicate that developments in the Pacific may be imminent.

On the whole the Allies have done just about everything possible. There has been appeasement, diplomatic exchanges, notes and finally grave talk and then threats. How about on attack?

Sardinia and Sicily took a beating Wednesday from the United Nations air force. The Axis lost 73 planes destroyed, many of them on the ground. Our losses were said to have been four.

Berlin has been bombed again by British planes.

The great air offensive against Germany was in its 9th day without abatement.

Over in the South Pacific air activity was punishing the Japs.

HOYTE CLUB

The Hoyte 4-H Club met at Mrs. Coward's home Wednesday, May 19th. The menus were made for encampment. We demonstrated on garden work. All members were present.

Next meeting will be on June 2, at Mrs. Coward's.

Edna Lee Peed, Reporter.

A Citizens Pledge In Wartime America

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272 GERMAN PLANES LOST IN 3 DAYS FIGHT

During the past 3 days in the Mediterranean the Germans have lost 272 planes.

The air war has developed to be the most devastating yet seen in this war and the superiority of the Americans has been estblished. At the rate of destruction the Axis will have no air power with which to repel an invasion.

In the South Pacific 13 Japanese planes have been shot down and several barges have been sunk. The United Nations lost 2 bombers.

Except for artillery action in Russia the land fronts are quiet. The Americans are mopping up on Attu.

Phone 282 any news item you know.

World Revolution Idea of Reds Will Be Abandoned

Formal declaration by the Communist Party in Russia that the Communist Internationale, world revolt movement instituted in the early days of the Red conquest, will be dissolved, brought angry retorts from Germany.

In the fight for the Nazis conquest of Germany Adolph Hitler, in a bloody series of battles, stamped out the Internationale.

The announcement was hailed in the Democracies, especially United States and Britian. The Reds have given up their plan to Sovietize the world. This is taken to indicate that the last obstacle to full relations with Russia has been removed and may herald the return of religion to Russia, stamped out when the Communists took over.

Russia was Catholic. Hitler may have had the ground clipped from under his feet by the announced intention to dissolve the World Revolution organization.

CARD OF THANKS

We deeply and sincerely thank you for your kindness to us during the recent illness and at the death of our dear father, William E. Shafer. Through your kindness and sympathy we were able to bear up under our burden of sorrow and we will hold in grateful memory each one who came. We thank those who gave flowers to express their sympathy and all who in any way assisted us.

The Faimly of
William E. Shafer.

We Print the News.

TRINITY RIVER FLOOD

Warnings were issued to residents in the lowlands along the Trinity River Saturday. The stream will reach flood stage some time Sunday, said a Dallas newscast.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry Bailey of Maysfield are the proud parents of a son born at the Cameron Hospital, Wednesday morning, May 19. The baby weighed 7 1-2 pounds and has been named Henry McClelland Bailey, Jr. Mr. Bailey is the pastor at the Presbyterian church at Maysfield.

J. P. Petty of Sharp was in Cameron on business Thursday.

Miss Mary Finks, head of the Old Age Pension office in Cameron, has returned after a two weeks vacation visit.

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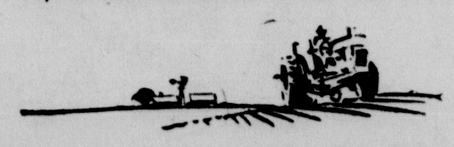

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Control Corn Borer by Plowing Land for Oats

One method of controlling the European "invader," the corn borer, is to plow cornstalk land for oats, according to G. H. Dungan and W. L. Burlison of the University of Illinois college of agriculture.

During the war years ahead the area devoted to oats is likely to be reduced because of greater needs for oil crops and heavier yielding grain, but the oat crop will continue to be advantageous to corn-belt farmers because it possesses high feeding value and requires only a small amount of labor.

For success with this crop, an adapted high-yielding variety should be chosen and the seed may be sown moderately early, preferably with a drill.

The rate of seeding may be adjusted to the method used. If seeding is done with a drill, eight pecks should be used to the acre. If broadcast, 10 pecks an acre will give the best results. When a legume is seeded in the oats, the best rate is six pecks an acre if oats are drilled and eight pecks if broadcast.

The ripened crop may be harvested with a binder and threshed with a regular small-grain separator or it may be harvested with a windrower followed with a pick-up combine when the grain is dry enough to bin. Oats may be harvested directly with a combine, but great care must be taken to prevent heating and molding in the bin.

Honey Bee Contributes To Nation's War Effort

Producing beeswax as a coating for shells and airplanes, increasing farm crops through pollination of flowers, and providing honey as a supplement to America's sugar rationing—these are the contributions of the tiny honey bee to the nation's war effort.

With beekeeping considered one of the essential farm activities, bees are perhaps playing a more important part in this war than ever before—more important, in fact, than in the ancient days when hives were kept on the ramparts of cities so they could be thrown down on besiegers.

The bee is contributing its bit in three ways: as a pollinator, as a wax producer, and as a contributor to sweeten the American people.

Mentioning that pollination was perhaps the most important contribution to the war effort because the bees increase farm crops, especially fruits and many forage crops, by pollinating the flowers.

Intensive cultivation in many of the large fruit, clover and alfalfa regions has destroyed many of the natural pollinators. Also, many of the natural pollinators do not increase rapidly enough in the spring to adequately pollinate the early flowers of apple and other fruit.

Insignia for Specialists

A distinctive sleeve patch has been authorized for wear by enlisted technical specialists of the army air forces in the job classifications of armament, communications, engineering, photography and weather. The patches have the same basic design, a 2½-inch equilateral triangle, resting on the point, on a background of ultramarine blue, with individual distinguishing designs in gold within to represent each of the five technical specialist classifications.

The distinguishing symbols are: armament: a bomb pointing down to the right; communications: pyramid shaped radio tower with flashes emanating from the top; engineering: a gear wheel centered in the triangle; photography: picture of a camera, with bellows open, lens pointing slightly down to the right; weather: a weather vane with a horizontal cross arrow at the top.

Beets Do Double Job

Sugar beets are performing a two-fold wartime job for the United States. Sugar extracted from them is helping to relieve the scarcity caused by the reduction of the flow of cane sugar from overseas areas. The beet tops, pulp, and molasses, which remain after the sugar has been extracted, are a valuable cattle and lamb feed, and are contributing meat to fill our increasing needs. Until recent years it was necessary to import beet seed from Europe, a situation which led to difficulties during World War I. Now, however, all seed is produced in this country. Sugar beets are grown in 19 Western and Middle Western states. Wartime shortages have emphasized their importance as a source of sugar and meat, and as a crop in which virtually nothing is wasted.

Hogs More Exposed

Farmers have more difficulty in keeping pigs healthy now than they did 25 years ago, because land on which hogs are raised has become more thoroughly infested with parasites and bacteria and there also is a freer movement of human beings, animals, birds, and livestock which may be disease carriers.

Howard Davison, livestock specialist, lists the most destructive ailments now affecting hogs as enteritis, cholera, erysipelas, and influenza. These diseases are caused by specific organisms but it appears certain that hogs which are kept in good condition by liberal feeding and which are protected from parasite infestation are less liable to acquire diseases.

ASSOCIATION OF WATER WORKS MEET IN CITY

The Central Texas Water Works and Sewerage Association delegates were guests here Wednesday night of the Community Public Service Co., for their district convention.

R. W. Hester, manager for the local water utilities, was host to the delegates and guests. In all 86 members and guests registered for the meeting and sixteen central Texas cities were represented at the meeting. Camp Hood, Waco Flying School the Internment Camp at Hearne, Camp Swift and the camp at Mexia sent representatives.

Out of town visitors included the following:

A. E. Dickey, A. N. Taylor and Bob Fix and V. M. Ehlers of the State Health Department, Austin; Cecil P. Coston, District Manager of Community Public Service Company, Clifton; C. M. Covington, director of the Central Texas Health Department, Belton; D. B. Knudson, Regional Director, State Health Department; Norman Abrams, Badger Meter Manufacturing Co., and numerous water and sewer superintendents operators, sanitary engineers and City Officials.

Local guests included: Aldermen Horstmann and Griffith, and N. J. Johnson. Mayor Leland Green welcomed the group to Cameron and called on City Secretary-Treasurer Dan Tyson to recognize State officials and other prominent guests.

D. W. Robinson, Water Superintendent of Community Public Service Company gave a lengthy discussion concerning various problems on the water distributions system and corrective measures.

Dr. T. W. Gooch of Baylor University covered various types of water treatment processes and their application.

V. M. Ehler, State Santiary Engineer closed the meeting with an educational talk. He did his first work in Cameron after his graduation, expressed joy at coming back to Cameron where he began his engineering career. He stressed water treatment and proper sewer disposal.

Mr. Hester, local manager of the Water Company, Ralph Mitchell of the Health Unit and other associates supervised the arrangements.

The meeting was declared by officials to be one of the most interesting and educational ever conducted.

Three Milam County Girls Attend State Demonstration Meet

Three Milam County Home Demonstration Club members, Miss Nora Kohring, Mrs. Robert Glenn and Mrs. George Gilmore and Miss Dorothy Porter, County Home Demonstration Agent and Miss Thelma Keese, Assistant County Home Demonstration Agent attended the annual meeting of District 8 of the Texas Home Demonstration Association which was held in the Roosevelt Hotel in Waco, on May 12th and 13th. There were 17 counties represented with a total of 110 women present, including delegates and visitors. The meeting was called to order by our district vice president, Mrs. Gus Rogas of Manor. Invocation was given by Dr. W. H. Mansfield, pastor of Methodist Church. Group singing was led by Mrs. A. C. Carlisle. County Judge, D. Y. McDaniel gave us a very hearty welcome to their city.

As this was election year we had three condidates for district vice president. They were Mrs. Bill Adams of Falls County, Mrs. A. C. Carlisle of McLennan County, and Mrs. J. S. Eaves of Houston County. Each of these women had a part on the program. Their subjects were: Mrs. Adams', "How are Rural Families Reached Through the Victory Council?" Mrs. Carlisle's, "In What Ways Can the Home Demonstration Women Help 4-H Club Girls Most?" Mrs. Eaves', "The Texas Home Demonstration Association and Its Purposes?" In the election on Thursday, Mrs. Bill Adams was elected as our next vice president of district 8. The THDA is divided into 12 districts and has a membership of 50,000 women. All Home Demonstration club women are members.

Our State Education Chairman, Mrs. J. W. Curry, introduced our 1943 scholarship girl who was Evelyn Wieland of Travis County. She will enter Texas University this fall and wants to be a county agent.

Mrs. Maggie W. Barry was able to attend the meeting and gave us a very inspirational message.

All delegates gave reports of their counties. All seem to be working harder to help the war effort in many ways. A lot is being done by producing and preserving food. The reports were all very good.

Mrs. W. G. Kennedy, THDA State president, gave a report of other district meetings she had attended. She was well pleased with reports and gave us much encouragement to keep on trying even if sometimes everything did go wrong. But if we wouldn't give up everything always worked out all right in the end. She told us we all had big job to do here so our boys would have better homes to come back to. We must all work hard, love much and pray often.

At the close of the meeting we had some comments on the meeting by Miss Helen Swift and Miss Zetha D. McInnis from College Station. They were well pleased with the meeting, but Miss Swift told us we should have at least one meeting a year on public speaking, so the delegates wouldn't stop breathing when they got up to make their reports. To all club members—we will soon have one of those meetings. Get prepared for a two minute speech.

Frank Krajca, Jr., has returned home after a successful operation at the Newton Memorial Hospital.

Miss Elizabeth Schiller, R. N. of Temple spent the week end in the F. A. Marek home.

E. G. Stiles of Thorndale was in Cameron Tuesday on business.

Mary Heinze of Sharp was a visitor in Cameron Wednesday.

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No one should any longer cling to the hope that this nation can avoid even heavier tax burdens for years to come regardless of the outcome of the conference that is now in progress between the House and Senate in regard to forgiveness of 1942 taxes. This week the House passed a naval supply bill involving approximately thirty billion dollars--by far the greatest naval expenditure ever contemplated by any nation. This will be followed by an Army authorization bill of more than twice that size. In other words, this nation foresees the expenditure of one hundred billion dollars for direct war purposes this coming year. Obviously neither this nor any other nation can continue to make such staggering expenditures, but, if our enemies are not able to make adequate provision to meet the force and equipment that we expect to be able to throw at them, they are bound to lose the war. I am, therefore, more hopeful of a rather rapid allied victory than are some people. The more force we can bring to bear the more quickly can be defeat the Axis and the more American lives will we save. To bring this tremendous force to bear quickly, we need every dollar of taxes due this government. I have, therefore, consistently opposed every effort to remit or forgive any federal taxes. The Senate has voted for a version of the Ruml Plan (Both Texas Senators voted against it,) but the House has stood firmly against this remission of needed taxes (On the last vote only one Texas Congressman voted for remission.)

The most spectacular event of the week here in Washington was the speech of Prime Minister Churchill before a joint session of Congress. Mr. Churchill is a powerful speaker and his message was full of promise to the Allies and of foreboding to the Axis. He definitely committed Great Britain to a finish fight with Japan regardless of how long it might take. He frankly admitted the mistakes of the past and stressed the vital necessity of harmony between the Allies. He called attention to the fact that for a whole year Great Britain fought alone. He did not say so, but he made his hearers realize that while he full well appreciates the part America is now playing, that it should also be remembered that had Britain not fought on by herself during the dark days of 1940-41, America would probably be fighting alone today. He received a tremendous ovation. Some of the newspapers have indicated that the Duke of Windsor and "Wally," who were present, received a similar ovation. It is true that the great crowd cheered the Duke and the Duchess lustily, but I do not think that their reception compared with that accorded Mr. Churchill.

Late in the week it was my privilege to have dinner with Sir William Beverage, the author of the famous Beverage Plan of Social Security. He gave a most interesting discussion of his proposals which are very far-reaching but in some respects do not go nearly as far as some of our own Social Securitiy provisions. Fundamentally, it seems to me that the Beverage Plan is based on the sound principle that every person can and should contribute to his or her own security by making contributions to an insurance fund during the part of his life while he is earning an income and that the government can and should aid in providing this security by administering to the program and even contributing to the funds sufficient to provide a reasonable insurance. To a very large degree such a plan applied to every citizen—rich or poor, in the factory or on the farm—would over a period of a generation practically eliminate the necessity for an old age pension as it would enable everyone to make provision for his own old age as well as for any accidental loss of earning power. I am convinced that America will make great progress in this line after the war. I realize that our present Social Security System only reaches about one-half of our people. It must reach them all. Of course, we face a much more difficult problem than they do in a small, highly industrialized country like England, but we can and must solve the problem. I realize that the present old age pension program should never be accepted as anything more than a temporary expedient to be used until such time as a self-supporting Social Security Program has been in effect long enough to allow our people to provide for their own security. Even so, this Program has not been placed on anything like a satisfactory or adequate basis. I believe that had the war not come on when it did that we would have been well on the way to a more satisfactory system by this time. As it is, I recognize that we can expect little reform of this type until after the war is won. We should, however, like the British, be planning now that we may meet these great problems with the coming of peace.

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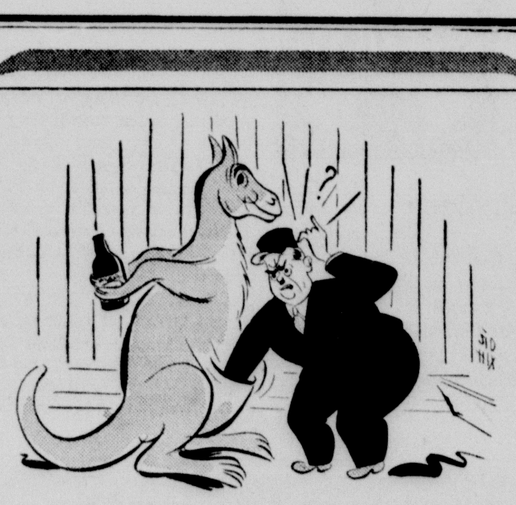

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